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SUBJECT: DEPARTMENT CLEARANCE FOR PHILIPPINES LEAHY VETTING REQUEST -
JUSMAG TITLE X PROGRAM - ADVANCE SECURITY COOPERATION COURSE 09-1

REF: MANILA 92

¶1. (SBU) The Department of State reviewed its files and found that, as of this date, it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights for the individual identified below. This individual is a JUSMAG Title X Program candidate to attend an Advance Security Cooperation course scheduled from January 22, 2009 through March 11, 2009 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

¶2. (U) Candidate:

CAPT Rommel Jude Gochuico, DOB: September 6, 1963
POB: Manila, Philippines
Unit: Office of the Chief of Naval Staff for Operations

¶3. (U) Post may provide the following statement to authorized parties: Embassy verifies that the Department of State possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the individual identified in paragraph 2 above, as of this date. Post may cite this cable in response.

¶4. (U) If, in the future, post becomes aware of possible human rights violations by the individual listed above, post should inform the Department and not proceed with training.

¶5. (U) POC for this action is Jameson DeBose:
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